

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

JOSEPH TROY EASTON,

Defendant.

Case No. CR21-174-11 JCC

DETENTION ORDER

Offenses charged:

Mr. Easton is charged with conspiracy to distribute controlled substances, 21 U.S.C. §§ 841(a)(1) and (b)(1)(A). The Court held a detention hearing on November 19, 2021, pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3142(f), and based upon the reasons for detention stated on the record and as hereafter set forth, finds:

FINDINGS OF FACT AND STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR DETENTION

1. There is a rebuttable presumption of detention pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3142(e).
2. Mr. Easton stipulated to detention.
3. Mr. Easton poses a risk of nonappearance due to his extensive history of failing to appear, convictions for attempt to elude, noncompliance while under supervision,

1 committing new offenses while on probation, use of an alternative birth date and
2 Social Security number, and lack of employment.

3 4. Mr. Easton poses a risk of danger due to the nature of the offense, repeated history
4 of similar criminal conduct, and history of noncompliance and committing new
5 crimes while under supervision.

6 5. Based on these findings, and for the reasons stated on the record, there does not
7 appear to be any condition or combination of conditions that will reasonably assure
8 Mr. Easton's appearance at future court hearings while addressing the danger to
9 other persons or the community.

10 6. Taken as a whole, the record does not effectively rebut the presumption that no
11 condition or combination of conditions will reasonably assure the appearance of
12 Mr. Easton as required and the safety of the community.

13 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

14 (1) Mr. Easton shall be detained pending trial, and committed to the custody of the
15 Attorney General for confinement in a correction facility separate, to the extent
16 practicable, from persons awaiting or serving sentences or being held in custody
17 pending appeal;

18 (2) Mr. Easton shall be afforded reasonable opportunity for private consultation with
19 counsel;

20 (3) On order of a court of the United States or on request of an attorney for the
21 government, the person in charge of the corrections facility in which Mr. Easton
22 is confined shall deliver her to a United States Marshal for the purpose of an
23 appearance in connection with a court proceeding; and

1 (4) The Clerk shall direct copies of this Order to counsel for the United States, to
2 counsel for the Defendant, to the United States Marshal, and to the United States
3 Pretrial Services Officer.

4 Dated this 19th day of November, 2021.

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6 MICHELLE L. PETERSON
7 United States Magistrate Judge
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